CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD CENTRAL VALLEY REGION

11020 Sun Center Drive #200, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670

PUBLIC HEARING

concerning

RESOLUTION AMENDING
WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDR) ORDER NO. R5-2002-0208
NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES)
PERMIT NO. CA0079341

for

PLACER COUNTY SERVICE AREA NO. 28, ZONE NO. 6
SHERIDAN WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT
PLACER COUNTY

The Placer County Service Area No. 28, Zone No. 6 (Discharger) owns and operates a collection system and wastewater treatment plant (WWTP) that provides sewage service to the community of Sheridan with approximately 220 residences. The Discharger notified the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Water Board) that it has ceased discharging WWTP effluent to an unnamed drainage ditch, which is tributary to Yankee Slough and to the Bear River, as of 30 December 2006. The Discharger is currently discharging its WWTP effluent to its land disposal system under WDR Order No. R5-2002-0208. By ceasing its surface water discharge as of 30 December 2006, as required by Cease and Desist Order (CDO) No. R5-2002-0209, the NPDES portion of Order No. R5-2002-0208 and CDO No. R5-2002-0209 is no longer needed.

The Regional Water Board will consider adoption of this Resolution to amend the Discharger's existing WDR Order No. R5-2002-0208. The Resolution proposes to rescind the NPDES Permit No. CA0079341 portion of the WDRs and proposes to rescind CDO No. R5-2002-0209 in its entirety. The portion of WDR Order No. R5-2002-0208 that regulates the Discharger's discharge of WWTP effluent to land will remain in effect until the Regional Water Board considers adopting renewed WDRs at a later date.

A public hearing concerning the Resolution will be held during the Regional Water Board meeting scheduled for:

DATE:

11-12 September 2008

TIME:

8:30 a.m.

PLACE:

Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board Room

11020 Sun Center Drive, #200 Rancho Cordova, CA 95670

The designated parties for this hearing are as follows:

- Central Valley Regional Water Board Staff, and
- Placer County Representatives

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
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Only designated parties will have the following rights: to call and examine witnesses; to introduce exhibits; to cross-examine opposing witnesses; to impeach any witness; and to rebut the evidence against him or her. All other persons wishing to testify or provide comments are interested persons and not designated parties. Such interested persons may request status as a designated party for purposes of this hearing by submitting such request in writing to the Regional Water Board no later than **22 August 2008**. The request must explain the basis for status as a designated party and, in particular, how the person is directly affected by the discharge.

Persons wishing to comment on this hearing item must submit testimony, evidence, and/or comments in writing to the Regional Water Board no later than 5:00 p.m. on 22 August 2008. Written evidence or comments submitted after 5:00 p.m. on 22 August 2008 will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would prejudice any party. All designated parties and interested persons may speak at the Regional Water Board meeting, and are expected to orally summarize their written submittals. Oral testimony and cross examination will be limited in time by the Board Chair

Anyone having questions regarding the Tentative Resolution should contact Mr. Robin Merod at (916) 464-4697 or rmerod@waterboards.ca.gov. Interested parties may download the Tentative Resolution and related documents from the Regional Water Board's Internet website at http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders/. Copies of these documents may also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Regional Water Board's office at 11020 Sun Center Drive, #200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670-6114, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

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The hearing facilities will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Individuals requiring special accommodations are requested to contact Ms. Kiran Lanfranchi-Rizzardi at (916) 464-4839 at least five working days prior to the meeting. TTY users may contact the California Relay Service at 1-800-735-2929 or voice line at 1-800-735-2922.

Please bring the above information to the attention of anyone you know who may be interested in this matter.

KENNETH D. LANDAU, Assistant Executive Officer

21 July 2008